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Planners blast Appeals Board

Accuse its members of nullifying town ordinances they disagree with

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The chairman of the Bethel Planning Board has written town selectmen expressing dissatisfaction with the town's Appeals Board.

Referring to the Appeals Board's June 24 decision to overrule the Planning Board and approve an internally lit sign from Bethel's Best restaurant (formerly Brea's), Al Cressy wrote "The Planning Board is not only questioning the outcome of the appeal's process, but also the process that led up to the decision."

'It seems inappropriate that a Planning Board action is subject to a reversal at any time just because Appeals Board members may not like the respective ordinance.'

AL CRESSY
Chairman, Bethel Planning Board

Four Planning Board members attended the June 26 meeting, Cressy said, and they came away "dismayed over the process of the meeting."

Cressy accused the Appeals Board members of, in effect, nullifying ordinances, or parts of ordinances, with which they happened to disagree.

Cressy wrote: "As the record shows, despite comments made such as, 'I think you did your end perfectly' and 'no criticism from here' in reference to the Planning Board, the appellants' request to overturn the application denial was upheld by the Appeals Board. The

'I despise the Sign Ordinance to begin with.'

HARRY FAULKNER
Chairman, Bethel Appeals Board

Appeals Board's decision seemed to be based primarily on the board's dissatisfaction with the Sign Ordinance. The Planning Board believes that the Appeals Board is obligated to uphold the intent of the town's ordinances voted on by the town's voters, not to indicate how unfair an ordinance is. In summary, the board neither articulated its basis for the decision to uphold the appellants' appeal, nor documented the decision in a Findings of Fact.

"It seems inappropriate that a Planning Board action is subject to a reversal at any time just because Appeals Board members may not like the respective ordinance."

At the June 26 meeting Appeals Board members Francis Dumont, Dr. Lennie Shaw and chairman Harry Faulkner all criticized various aspects of the current Sign Ordinance — prompting planner Suzy

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Evan Boelsma of West Bethel shows his faith in his dad, Andy's, navigation as they set off on a fore-and-aft tandem recumbent bicycle, at the 15th annual Maine Bike Rally, held this past weekend in Bethel. The three-day event was based at Gould Academy and offered a variety of rides and programs for all ages. A bicycle safety clinic was presented Saturday afternoon, followed by an ice cream social and then a three-mile bike parade. Many local families participated. Bicycles of every type and size were available for participants to view and ride. Included was an exhibit presented by the Maine chapter of the "Wheelmen," a club that collects antique bicycles and memorabilia of a bygone era. Saturday evening was capped off with an exciting slide show in Birmingham Auditorium, presented by Marty Basch, chronicling his 5,198-mile bicycle trip from Maine to Alaska. An award-winning journalist, Basch has written a popular book about the experience, called "Against the Wind." Proceeds from last year's rally, which was also held in Bethel, were used to purchase and place the bike racks that are now at both ends of the pathway at Davis Park. Next year's Bike Rally will be held in Belfast. Information about it can be found at the event's sponsor, Bicycle Coalition of Maine's, Web site; www.bikemaine.org.

(Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)

Population shifts will force some changes in makeup of SAD44 Board

By ALISON ALOISIO

The SAD44 School Board learned Monday the district must decide whether to eliminate one director each from Newry, Greenwood and Andover.

Weighted votes on the board must be reapportioned as a result of population changes reflected in the 2000 census. Supt. Dave Murphy said. The 17-member board must either realign the votes among the existing directors, or eliminate the three seats.

The Commissioner of Education has informally recommended eliminating seats, Murphy said. But, he said, a local reapportionment committee would need to study the issue and make its own recommendation. As long as any plan proposed locally met the required parameters, the commissioner's office would likely approve it, he said.

The current distribution of directors and weighted votes is as follows: Bethel, six seats with 71 votes each; Woodstock, three seats with 72 votes each; Greenwood, three seats with 42 votes each; An-

dover, three seats with 58 votes each; and Newry, two seats with 29 votes each.

According to the 2000 census, Andover and Bethel's percentage of the total SAD44 population dropped, while Greenwood, Newry and Woodstock's increased.

State suggests dropping three directors and increasing voting power of others to reflect new balance

The local committee will be appointed by town officials and SAD44 board chair Kelly Scotti. Its makeup must include a school director, municipal officer and citizen at large from each town. The committee must make a recommendation within 90 days of its first meeting, which has been scheduled for Aug. 11.

If the committee did elect to reduce the board to 14 members, some remaining board members would hold more individual voting power. For example, the one remaining Newry director would have 60 votes, compared to the current 29 each for two directors.

Any reduction in board numbers would be accomplished by voluntary resignation as the first choice, said Murphy. Failing that, if a regular election for board seats was scheduled to take place anyway within 30 days, the number of seats would be reduced for that vote. If the regular election were further into the future, members from the town would draw lots.

The SAD44 board has used the weighted voting method since the late 1980s.

Board elects officers

In annual election of officers, the board Monday reelected Kelly Scotti as chair, Becky Cummings as vice-chair and Lainey Cross as vice chair pro tempore.

Father and son pen tales of pinned tails and 'waiting for the deer'

By ALISON ALOISIO

"When you become a permanent resident of Albany camp, you have to read and sign the agreement pertaining to the cutting of shirttails. The agreement states that if you, the hunter, shoot at and do not successfully kill a deer, then the rest of the camp dwellers will cut a one-inch-by-one-inch square from the tail of your shirt, and then you have to nail it to the wall, sign it, and date it."

"This is a tradition that has gone on since the time camp has been in existence at Albany. There are a lot of shirttails nailed to that one section of wall, and a lot of stories to go with them."

Bethel natives Tom Remington and his son, Steve, didn't set out to write a book in the fall of 2002. Steve had simply been trying to get some people to respond to his Internet message board, which he had set up for fun to talk about a variety of subjects.

When no one bit on the "hunting" topic, Steve posted his own thoughts: "I found that I enjoyed the 'waiting for the deer to come to me' better than going after them. This, it

appears, is one reason why I never had many opportunities to eat venison in the winter, because 99 percent of the time while sitting, I never saw deer," he wrote.

Tom saw the posting, and responded with a memory of his own. He told how Clarence, his father, shot a rather small deer (100 pounds) one season. Determined to make it look more impressive, he wired the antlers from a large 10-point buck he had shot years earlier to the head of the 100-pounder. He then hung the doctored deer in his yard for the benefit of Tom's uncle. "Oh, the look on Uncle Chet's face," wrote Tom.

Tom and Steve continued to post their hunting memories, even though no one else joined in. But, when they stopped writing for a while, "We started getting responses — 'please, more stories,'" Tom said.

Unbeknownst to them, relatives and friends, as well as strangers, from all over the country had been reading the anecdotes.

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DEELZ

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High-tech data will help to paint a new picture of Woodstock

By ALISON ALOISIO

At the touch of a computer key, Woodstock may soon be able to call up a list of lakefront property owners, an inventory of road areas prone to erosion, or small businesses that use hazardous materials.

The town was one of six in Western Maine that qualified for a \$4,000 matching grant to do geographic information systems (GIS) mapping. The grant comes through the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments (AVCOG), from the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Qualifying, however is a mixed blessing: it means the town has a median household income of less than 80 percent of the rest of the country.

The funds will go toward the purchase of GIS computers and software. Town officials are currently considering what kinds of information might be useful for them to have at their computer fingertips.

"Your imagination is the limit on what you can do with it," said Geoff Inman, Woodstock's emergency management director.

Some basic GIS information, such as natural resource protection areas, is already available to AVCOG member towns. The grant would provide for the entry of additional information into a town database.

Woodstock will have up to two years to compile the computer-based information, according to Ferg Lea of the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments. AVCOG officials could receive training, he said.

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Selectmen take wait-and-see position on Concord Pond dam

By ALISON ALOISIO

Woodstock selectmen Tuesday backed off, at least for now, from a plan to apply for a permit to restore a structure at Concord Pond that many people say served as a dam.

The new president and secretary/treasurer of the Concord Pond Association, Brad Clarke and Doug Alford, met with the board to discuss the problem of low water levels in the pond.

Many pond residents have said the low levels in recent years stem from the disappearance of a 50-year-old wood and rock dam from the pond's outlet.

At the recent annual meeting of the association, said Clarke, an overwhelming majority of members said they wanted the structure

fixed to restore the water levels.

But property owners who abut the outlet on one side strongly oppose rebuilding the structure, Clarke said.

Because it is not officially recognized as a dam by the state, the Department of Environmental Protection cannot intervene.

At the selectmen's last regular meeting, they had voted to still seek a permit by rule to do work on the structure in the water, hoping to establish some formal justification for restoration.

At that time, they had information that the dam might have been deliberately removed.

But selectman Steve Bies said Tuesday, following an inspection

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Letters

DISREGARD FOR THE TRUTH

To the Editor:

In response to the article "Developer's rights suit rejected" on July 10, this is another attempt by Mr. Daniels and Mr. Cole to disregard the truth about this project.

The Maine Human Rights Commission had nothing to do with the dismissal of this complaint. Ms. Ryan, executive director, made this decision without legal council, and she is not a lawyer.

I submitted 440 pages of evidence to Ms. Ryan and the investigator, Ms. Clark. Their decision to dismiss was based on only two pages of the material.

My constitutional, human, nor civil rights are not the issue for the Human Rights Commission. The issue is: Was the discrimination based on the fact I am a woman?

I wish that Mr. Daniels could look into the validity of what he prints. My application was found to be complete by the Planning Board on Aug. 26, 2002 and denied Oct. 23, 2002.

I attended 19 meetings, not several, as Mr. Cole would have you believe. Mr. Cole stated that the dismissal vindicated the town's handling of the affair. This is not even close to the truth, a federal court with 12 jurors will decide the case. My lawyer informs me that to get into this court will take 9.3 months and then almost as long at trial.

If anyone would like to see the letters of dismissal from the Human Rights Commission's executive director, Ms. Patricia Ryan, and investigator, Ms. Susan Clark, to decide for yourself the truth, my phone number is 836-2827. I'll send it to you.

Darlene Corriveau
Developer

(Reply: The letter writer correctly states that her application was in fact found complete in August of 2002. It was the site plan for the project that was found incomplete and denied the following month. She is further correct in stating that the complaint to the Human Rights Commission was based on the allegation of sexual discrimination, not the broader charges of constitutional, human and civil rights violations she has made elsewhere. The Citizen regrets the errors.)

The full text of a June 30 letter from Patricia Ryan to Corriveau, regarding her claim of sexual discrimination, follows:

Dear Ms. Corriveau:

Thank you for providing a response to my letter to you of June 3, 2003. I have read your letter and reviewed the file. I have specifically reviewed the charge of discrimination you submitted on November 25, 2002, the responses to the charge by the Town of Bethel, and your rebuttal to those responses including 14 exhibits you submitted. I have looked closely at exhibits 1 and 3 which you reference in your latest letter. I find that I must administratively dismiss your charge for failure to substantiate a complaint of sex discrimination.

While you state that you believe that you were treated differently because of your sex, your discussions and arguments about this attribute motivations to areas not covered or regulated by the Maine Human Rights Act, and not to your sex. These are discussed in Investigator Clark's memo to me requesting administrative dismissal. In addition, the project you most closely compare yours to by type was submitted by a woman, and approved.

I am sorry we are unable to continue an investigation. Final closure letters will be sent to the parties shortly. Of course, any individual may file a lawsuit in Superior Court, alleging a violation of the Maine Human Rights Act, regardless of any decision by the commission.

Patricia E. Ryan
Executive Director, Maine Human Rights Commission

THANKS FOR VILLAGE WORK

To the Editor:

I would like to publicly thank the Greenwood Town Office for responding very speedily to my request to provide crosswalks at several locations in the village. This request was supported by Chris and Charlotte at the store, Carrie and Donna at the Post Office and Chuck, who crosses the street several times a day to take Beauty for her walks. The newly painted crosswalks at the Round Pond Store and at the Post Office will make walking more pleasant, and hopefully safer. Greenwood's newly elected selectman, Ivan Roberts, took particular initiatives in moving this project along, and I am sure he, and Town Manager Carol Whitman, will make sure Maine Department of Transportation follows through with promised signage.

Motorists passing through Locke Mills Village will hopefully take note of the speed limit of 35, and the fact that it is state law to stop for pedestrians in the crosswalks. Moving a bit slower will give folks a chance to admire the improvements in the village. The store and the Marshall's apartment building look great, the mill parking lot is full once again, Rick has some great looking bikes at his shop, the coffer dam will soon be constructed and the Cinnamon Stick is a lively place, with excellent food.

Cathy Newell
Greenwood

SPECIAL OLYMPICS THANKS

To the Editor:

I would like to extend a huge thanks to all who participated in the Special Olympics fundraiser at Irving Gas stations on June 28. Specifically, thanks to West Paris Old Home Days for donating the dunk tank, Dane Tripp for organizing efforts in South Paris and Bethel, all the police officers who volunteered to pump gas for the day and all the teams, coaches and athletes who participated in the day.

Maine and Oxford County are proud to have such charitable organizations providing such support to our athletes. We hope to continue this partnership for years to come.

Cara M. Maloney
Oxford County Area Manager

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APPRECIATION FOR A GRINDING, ALL CONSUMING JOB

To the Editor:

This letter is written to publicly thank Mrs. Arlene Greenleaf for her years of tireless service as director of the Bethel Ambulance Service. A reliable system to handle medical emergencies is a cornerstone of modern, quality life in any community. Arlene's efforts in the past 20 years have formed our cornerstone in Bethel.

The sirens, lights and bustle of people hurrying to help other people constitute the visible product of an ambulance director's work. Most of that work is unseen. It includes checking quantities, measuring, reordering things, fixing, calling in repairs, calibrating, researching ideas, scheduling, record keeping, training, counseling others, disciplining, and more.

The director also attends varied, and numerous meetings where plans are made, needs are forecasted, and the public treasure is allocated to meet those needs. The director must attend those meetings, week in/week out, month in/month out, year in/year out.

Such is the lot of the ambulance director. Over the years the town has paid Arlene only a nominal stipend for her time, but I'm sure she feels that it is a privilege to serve. Nevertheless, the position is a grind. It is all consuming.

Please take a moment to consider how the ambulance director's work is the underpinning that allows medical help to get where it is needed, when it is needed. Then, let Arlene Greenleaf know that her toils in creating a cornerstone of Bethel are appreciated.

Scott G. Cole
Bethel Town Manager

CAR SHOW SATURDAY

To the Editor:

The 3rd annual Telstar Car Show will be held this Saturday, July 19, from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on the fields of Telstar. All monies raised at this event are used for many special events for the students of Telstar. We are also planning to begin a scholarship, which will go to students at Telstar who will be furthering their education at a technical school.

A new addition to the show this year will be the HOG show, otherwise known as the Harley Owners Group. They will be showing off their Harley's on the fields of Telstar from 10 to noon during the car show.

We would like to take the time to thank the car show committee. We are very fortunate to have a very dedicated group of people to work with and they are greatly appreciated for their hard work and dedication. We give our undying thanks to Linda Howe for her undying heart and belief of her dream that a car show would be possible one day on the fields of Telstar. Because of her endless efforts this dream has become a reality.

Two local diehard car enthusiasts, Ken Cole and Grayson Wakefield, have also helped to make the dream of a car show at Telstar a reality. Their efforts and many talents have been tremendous all the way through the many planning and brainstorming sessions that have been had over the last three to four years. They are absolutely the greatest, and their support is always felt.

Thanks to Jim Lunney and the softball team who have stepped forward to supply the show with refreshments of many kinds from traditional morning fare, grilled items at luncheon, and iced cold drinks.

We thank Western Maine Transportation and Jim Largess who has coordinated the shuttle service for us during the running of the car show. Many warm thanks to the many efforts of the following supporters in the many ways and the many hours that they have spent working on the details of the car show.

Enormous appreciation to Frank and Gloria Burgess of the Knucklebusters who have become our comrades, thanks to Gina Douglas for her much needed capabilities, and thanks go to Dusty who is a member of the show committee.

Thanks go to Jim Swan for the many hours spent painting row markers and directional signage for the car show with the detail of an artist. Also, many thanks to Dave Murphy for his continued support. Thanks to Bob, Jon and Seth.

The Telstar High School and Middle School students will benefit from your support. Please come on out and see the many beautiful, shiny, classic, antique cars and trucks on the fields of Telstar this Saturday. You'll have a great time at the show.

See you under the big top.

Marilyn Swan, Brenda Wight, and Susan Gordon
Telstar Tri-Presidents

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The Citizen welcomes letters to the editor. We hope our readers will regard the Opinion Page of the newspaper as a public forum for discussing any topic they believe to be of interest to the community.

Insofar as possible, we attempt to publish letters without alteration, but we do reserve the right to edit for length, libel, taste and readability.

We do not knowingly publish letters that have been submitted to other newspapers, letters to third parties or letters that endorse products. We do not publish letters that are unsigned. These guidelines will be waived, however, when doing so is deemed to be in the community's interest.

In situations where the letter writer has a political, economic, familial or other relationship that could be perceived as bearing on the topic addressed in the letter, we strongly suggest the writer make that relationship known in the text of the letter or after their signature.

In cases where the writer chooses not to do so, the editor reserves the right to make the relationship known.

The decision as to whether a given relationship is fact relevant shall lie solely with the editor. In questionable cases we will disclose the relationship and allow our readers to judge the relevance for themselves.

When writing, please include your full name, signature, address and telephone number (so that we may verify authorship).

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit.

Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109. Fax: 824-2426. E-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com

GIS

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One possible use of the GIS technology is the establishment of better records on road maintenance, Lea said. For example, inventories on ditching, pavement and culvert work and areas prone to erosion could be compiled. And, he said, "Anything in the database can be labeled on a (computerized) map."

In addition, an inventory of building permits could be created for use by the code enforcement officer, said Lea.

The Fire Department could com-

pile an inventory of small businesses in town that use hazardous materials, a useful piece of information in the event of a fire.

Lea said Norway has digitized all of its property parcels. Recently, he said, the town had to send out a notice to lakefront property owners. A list was quickly generated from the database.

Use of GIS mapping can generally give officials a better idea of what is happening in their town, and help them to set priorities and spend money more efficiently, he

said.

Some data has already been compiled as part of the town's Comprehensive Plan process, said Lea. He has previously met with selectmen to discuss data options and priorities, but said he plans to meet with other town officials, including the code enforcement officer, for further input.

Town officials would then decide what types of data are most useful, and proceed from there with the GIS project.

building a structure.

They also agreed that the association officials were in a better position than the selectmen to hold discussions with the outlet abutters.

Brad Clarke succeeds Roland Pelletier, who served as president of the association for many years.

From the Bethel Police Log:

Thursday, July 10

At 8:45 p.m. an off-duty officer observed a car and a motorcycle racing across Lincoln Street. The car executed a burnout, pulling onto the Parkway with the bike following close behind. Both accelerated rapidly to the Parkway/Route 2 intersection, where they again accelerated rapidly and pulled into a parking lot. The officer identified himself to the two subjects, and they provided him with their driver's licenses. An on-duty officer was called, and Richard M. Steele, 25, of Jefferson, N.H., and Andrew B. Baker, 18, of Shelburne, N.H. were issued summonses for imprudent speed and unnecessary noise.

Saturday, July 12

At 7:30 p.m. police responded to the Locke Mills end of the Greenwood Road to assist a Sheriff's deputy in pursuit of a motorcycle on the Greenwood Road. No contact was made.

At 8 p.m. police responded to the Rabbit Road in Greenwood to assist a deputy in pursuit of a truck. No contact.

Monday, July 14

At 10:10 a.m. a subject reported a child had been missing from the residence for a half hour. Preparations were made for a search, but it was then found the child had been with a relative without the parent's knowledge.

This report highlights points of interest from the Bethel Police Department log. It lists all cases of adults being arrested or issued a criminal summon in the 10 days prior to the newspaper's publication, but does not include all reports of other police activity. To reach the Bethel Police Department, call 911 in emergency situations, 824-3437 in non-emergencies.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by JOHN BROWN

10 years ago: Plans were unveiled for Victoria Station (later renamed Bethel Station), a \$25 million development north of Bethel village. According to one of the developers, the 36-acre project was being driven by "further expansion of Sunday River and the expectation that regular rail service to Bethel will be a reality perhaps as early as 1996."

A group of western Maine fish and game clubs had donated four new Old Town 158 canoes to the Maine Conservation School at Bryants Pond.

Dawn Seames was selected as Princess Mollyockett for 1993.

Norman A. Millard, Bethel Post Office; Caroline O. Merrill, Looke Mills Post Office; and Elaine Bonica, Newry Post Office, were sworn in as postmasters by the U.S. Postal Service.

Three rock hounds discovered a 12-foot-long, five-foot-wide, up to seven feet deep, pocket of the royal gemstone amethyst. The find, near the Deer Mill Mine was said to contain more than 2,500 pounds of amethyst.

20 years ago: Roger A. Spagnardi, who had served in SAD44 as administrative assistant in charge of elementary education from 1967 to 1970, was named principal of Peru Elementary School.

Richard and Lidell Thompson opened Autowize Bethel Auto Parts Store across Route 26 from the SAD44 maintenance garage, in quarters formerly occupied by Buck's Western Auto Store.

Ralph E. Caye Jr. was appointed business manager at Gould Academy.

Deaths: Robert H. Jones, Mrs. Beatrice B. Conrad, Mrs. Angelia V. Ridlon, Dr. Peter Gowling.

30 years ago: Ernest Perkins was honored by Continental Telephone Company for 25 years of service to telephone customers of the area.

Charles Farrar established Charlie's Place and featured tasty pizza, light lunches, ice cream and cold beverages.

The mobile home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Tibbets, and son, near Songe Pond was destroyed by fire.

The Rev. and Mrs. Bertrand Wentworth of Mechanic Falls observed their 50th wedding anniversary at the Albafly Congregational Church, where he was summer pastor.

Deaths: John W. Baxter, Lester W. Hale, Archie W. Cole, Mrs. Maud Goud Rix, James H. Andrews, Royal Bolduc, Bertrand C. Buck, John B. Vail.

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Briefly

No check in the mail

BETHEL—The town will not be among those receiving a check as a result of recent refinancing by the Maine Municipal Bond Bank. Earlier this month the Bond Bank announced that the refinancing, at lower interest rates, would allow it to issue refunds and lower the interest rate payments of many towns, school districts and other municipal entities. But in the case of Bethel the Bond Bank's press release referred to a refinancing of sewer debt from the late 80s and early 90s, which the town had voluntarily undertaken earlier this year. Town Manager Scott Cole told the Board of Selectmen Monday. "The bond bank essentially took credit for that as well, but it really wasn't their doing as much as the town's," Cole said. "The town's not getting a check. The Water District got a check for about \$5,500 dollars. The town is going to enjoy over 17 years a reduction in payment of almost \$202,000. That's split about half and half between the general fund and the sewer fund." SAD44 will realize \$72,292 in savings over the remaining life of its bond for the addition at the Crescent Park Elementary School, as a result of Bond Bank refinancing. The 20-year bond ends in 2013.

School Board appoints personnel

BETHEL—The SAD44 School Board Monday approved appointments to a half dozen staff positions, including a new full-time curriculum coordinator. Lee Graham, who most recently served in a similar capacity in SAD21, was hired for the new SAD44 position at a salary of \$70,000, with up to \$9,000 in benefits. Supt. Dave Murphy said \$55,000 had been allotted in this year's budget to bring what had previously been a part-time position to full time. The remaining funding for the position came from what had traditionally been budgeted for the part-time coordinator in previous years. The full-time position was approved as part of the FY'04 budget. Graham holds a master's degree in educational administration. "I'm very comfortable with her qualifications," said Bethel director Becky Cummings, chairman of the Personnel Committee. Other staff appointments include: Rebecca Kuvaja as secretary for the superintendent's office; Michael Bailey as health/physical education teacher for the Telstar complex; Karla Seneca as special education teacher at Crescent Park School; Jolene Littlehale as teaching principal at Woodstock Elementary School; and Rick Colpits as district Title I coordinator.

Cushman Road will get gravel

WOODSTOCK—Selectmen Tuesday agreed to put down crushed gravel on a mile stretch of the Cushman Road, to temporarily improve the rough surface created by recent work. The existing road pavement was ground up, with the intent that it be left in that form until the road could be paved next year. But the ground pavement turned out more "cobby" than Vern Maxfield, town manager, said he had expected, making travel difficult. Because there is not enough money in this year's budget to pave the road now, the board decided the best option would be to put down fresh gravel. "That will form a good base to pave next year," said selectman Leon Poland. The gravel work is expected to cost under \$5,000, Maxfield said.

"Texaco" to change to "Shell"

BETHEL—The Texaco sign at the Route 2 Big Apple gas station will change its name to "Shell Oil Co.," following approval last week by the Planning Board. The single pole sign will be lit externally from the top, will be moved four feet farther away from Route 2, and will be dropped two feet in height from the current 18 feet. The Texaco canopy, currently internally lit, will change its colors to yellow with a red bar, and will be externally backlit.

Two killed in ultralight crash

RUMFORD—A man and woman from Rumford died last Thursday evening when their ultralight aircraft crashed into a tree on Hall Hill Road. Steven E. Bernard, 40, died at the scene and Terrie Davis, 39, died of injuries shortly after she was taken to Rumford Hospital. The craft, equipped with pontoons, had just taken off from the Androscoggin River. Police said the weather did not appear to be a factor in the crash, and they may never know what caused the accident.

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Open Farm Day scheduled

OXFORD COUNTY—The 14th annual Open Farm Day will take place in Oxford County and across Maine Sunday, July 27. Featured will be displays, farm-raised products, barn and field tours, hay rides, petting zoos and refreshments. Among the farms in Oxford County participating are: Swallow Song Farm at 1460 Intervale Road, Bethel; Pooh Corner Farm on Bog Road, Mason Twp.; Carter's Farm on Route 26, Oxford; Mountain Brook Farm at 219 Streaked Mountain Road, South Paris; Hill; Stoneheart Farm, 285 Streaked Mountain Road, South Paris; Troika Drafts and the Shoeing Shop at 955 Buckfield Road, Hebron; and Gully Llamas, 15 Dunn Road, Norway. Hours will generally be from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. A complete list can be found at www.maine.gov/agriculture.

HOGs to be at Telstar car show

BETHEL—A display of Harley Davidson motorcycles originally scheduled to take place Saturday at Bethel Outdoor Adventures will instead be located at the Telstar Car Show, at the school. The bikes are in town for the Maine State H.O.G. Rally (Harley Owners' Group). The show is from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., with the motorcycle display from 10 a.m. to noon (See letter to the editor, page 2).

Record number of turkeys tagged

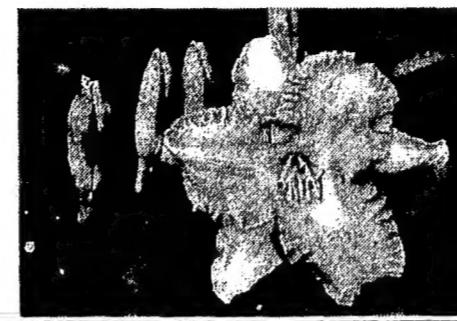
AUGUSTA—Turkey hunters in Maine bagged a record number of turkeys in 2003, according to the Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife. From April 28 to May 31, 3,994 turkeys were registered at tagging stations. Last year's count was 3,391. The state issued 12,000 permits this year, an increase of 3,000 over 2002. Hunters had a 36 percent success rate. There was a lower proportion of juvenile males (jakes) killed this year, probably a result of poor turkey production last year, according to Andy Weik, an IFW wildlife biologist. He said wet weather during the nesting season results in poor nest success because moist conditions are believed to aid predators that rely on smell to find the nests, located on the ground.

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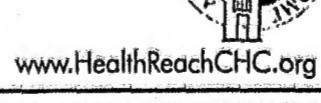
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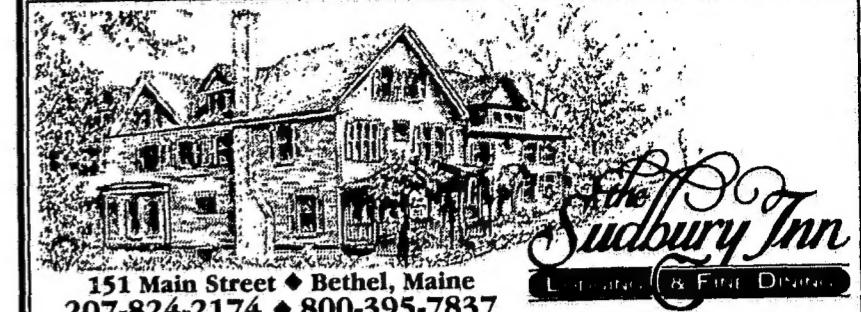
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Board

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Harrington to ask at one point: "I guess I need a clarification from you. My understanding is that the Board of Appeals is to oversee if the Planning Board did its job correctly ... but I'm hearing you interpret the sign part of it the way you'd like to have it versus the way it is."

To which Board Chairman Harry Faulkner replied: "Well, what difference does it make? Because ..."

Harrington, interrupting: "It makes a difference because we are saying we have to approve something in terms of the ordinance and then the Appeals Board decides they don't have to go by the same thing we did."

Following further discussion, Shaw made the motion to approve the internally lit sign.

Asked by Cressy to state the basis for the decision, Shaw replied: "Basis? It was really simple. I feel that in some cases the ordinance is

too restrictive and one of our functions is to make exceptions when they're really burdensome or onerous."

Shaw, however, declined to include in his motion any specific mention of "financial" hardship.

Pressed by Cressy to do so, he retorted: "I have a motion on the floor; you are not a member of this board and I really resent your attempt to change my motion."

The motion passed 3-1, with Dumont voting in the negative.

In a discussion following the vote, Faulkner commented: "I despise the Sign Ordinance to begin with."

The selectmen are expected to take up the situation at their next regularly scheduled meeting, on Aug. 18.

The matter was on the agenda for Monday's selectmen's meeting, but was tabled due to the absence of Chairman Dutch Dresser.

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SITE PLAN AMENDMENT

Project Name: Cho Sun Restaurant
Applicant: David Lane

Location: Map 25 Lot 214 ~ Main Street

SUBDIVISION/SITE PLAN APPLICATION

Project Name: Mill Hill Residential Tri-Plex
Applicant: Scott Stone

Location: Map 25 Lot 005 ~ Mill Hill Road

Files on the projects listed above are available for public review in the town office. The Planning Board invites public comment at the public hearing, which will be from 6:30pm to 7pm immediately before the Planning Board Meeting.

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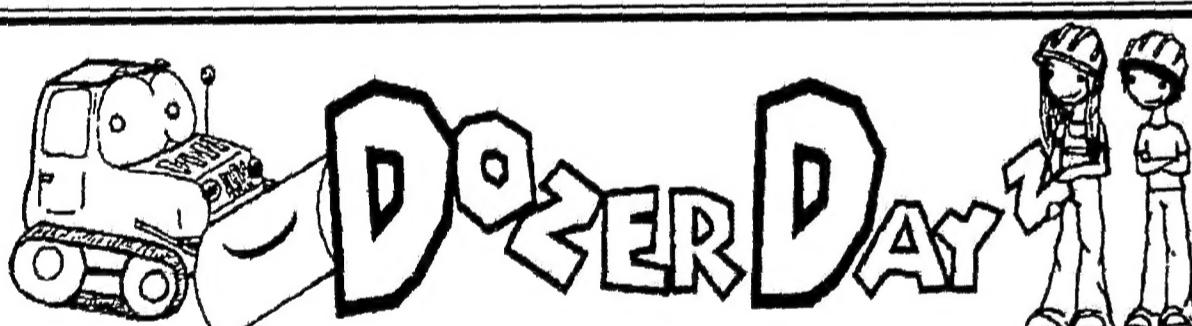
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THE SHIRTTAIL TRADITION—In this photo from the book, "The Legend of Grey Ghost and Other Tales from the Maine Woods," Vance Bacon removes a piece of Gregg Inman's shirttail. The ritual is required in authors Tom and Steve Remington's hunting group when one of them shoots at, but misses, a deer. The marksman must write his name, and the date of the missed shot, on the material and post it on the wall. Tom Remington and Dennis Doyon are in the background.

every Saturday afternoon running the chains on the sidelines of the football games. Gone was the image of him driving up Church Street toward Gould Academy, sitting in his '56 Ford and everyone waving to him."

Tom describes Steve as the deeper thinker and writer of the two. Tom prefers to stick primarily with the lighter side, "because that's who I am," he said:

"I have written quite a bit to this point about tradition and how it is engrained in so much of what takes place at camp, but I have not spoken yet about lunch time. It is an absolute necessity to eat red hot dogs for lunch, and not just any red hot dogs. They have to be Jordan's brand hot dogs. No other brand will do."

But even Tom turns a little sentimental at times, such as when he recalls the death of his father:

"Gone now were the Saturday afternoon hunts and Thanksgiving Day outings in the Maine woods searching for that elusive buck, Grey Ghost! Gone was seeing him

tique to being in the woods," said Tom.

But throughout the many hunting seasons, shooting Grey Ghost, or any other deer for that matter, remained secondary. Writes Steve as another season ends without a deer to tag:

"The forest grew dark as the season and traditions came to a restful end. It was time to set them aside for another year and accept things for what they were. I appeared to have arrived home empty handed, but yet again I came home with everything."

Available on the Web

The Remingtons have self-published their book at [1stBooks.com](http://1stbooks.com). It is available at the Bethel Historical Society and is expected to be available soon at Books N Things in Bethel.

Tom, who now lives most of the year in Florida, is currently visiting

in Bethel and has some copies of the book with him. It may also be purchased at 1stbooks.com, or through Tom's own Web site, kenton6.com. The cost is \$24.50 in hardcover and \$14.50 in paperback.

The book's back cover bears a watercolor painting of the famous Albany camp to which the Remingtons often refer. The painting was done by Milt Inman. Inman owns the camp, and, with his sons, also appears frequently in the stories.

Tom said that regardless of how many copies of the book they sell, he'll consider it a success. "We accomplished what we wanted to, and we'll have something to pass on to our children," he said.

Reading the book has already been an educational experience for Thelma Remington, Tom's mother.

"She said, 'I had no idea that's what went on in the woods,'" said Tom.

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PLENTY OF PICKIN' FOR ROCK AND MINERAL HOUNDS—The Ronnate Mineral & Gem Co. of Waterville was one of more than a dozen exhibitors at this weekend's Western Maine Gem, Mineral and Jewelry Festival. The annual event, sponsored by the Oxford Country Gem and Mineral Club, attracted approximately 800 attendees, according to club president Albert Holden of South Paris. This year's festival was held at Crescent Park School. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Sharon Bouchard's column is published by special arrangement with the Advertising Department of this newspaper.

My street is part of the route for the Driver's License Exam so I see a lot of nervous looking people, mostly teens driving down my street. The examiners usually don't have the testees parallel park on my street because it is a one-way, but I often see them attempting that little difficulty right around the corner. I have come to the conclusion that parallel parking as a requirement to obtaining a driver's license is nothing more than a form of driving test torture perpetrated by sadistic license examiners.

Now, be honest, after you got your driver's license, how many times have you attempted to parallel park? I'm sure the answer from most people would be very few. In my case it is none and I have had my license for many years.

I will drive around the block until I'm close to running out of gas just looking for a parking space that I can drive into. This doesn't make me feel inadequate as a driver because I seldom see anyone else attempting to squeeze their good sized cars into those little bitty spaces. For that matter, I have never seen a police officer do it either. In fact, now that I think about it, the only people I have seen actually parallel park have had "Student Driver" signs on the roof of the car or a license examiner in the front seat.

There was a time, before the malling of America, when parking spaces were in scarce supply and parallel parking was a necessity. But that is not the case anymore. With shopping malls being what they are surrounded by acres and acres of parking lots, parallel parking is passe. There are parking lots everywhere, in the cities there are multi level parking garages. In fact, I bet that if anyone was so inclined as to do a study on the subject, they would probably find that there is more square footage devoted to parking cars than there is to housing people.

So why is a driver's license contingent on one's ability to do

something they will probably never do again? A far better test of a person's driving skills would be to have them drive through any city at 5:10 p.m., the peak of rush hour. If they make it through without an accident or resorting to profanity, they pass the test.

I think being able to parallel park is a good skill to have, but I really don't think it should be a test requirement. More time could be spent however, emphasizing the use of one's directional signals. This seems to me to be the easiest aspect of operating a vehicle. A simple touch of a lever and you let other drivers know you intend to turn or change lanes. Yet, it absolutely

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amazes me how many people fail to perform this little courtesy.

It's not like it was in the era before automatic directional signals when a driver had to roll down the window, stick their arm out, no matter what the weather and frantically wave their intention to turn. Now all one has to do is flick a switch and they will spare themselves a lot of one-finger salutes from their fellow motorists. It's no big deal, I just don't understand why every driver doesn't signal.

I also don't understand why every driver doesn't stop for pedestrians. Have they never been pedestrians trying to cross a street themselves? Question: Why did the pedestrian not cross the road? Answer: Because no cars would stop and let them get to the other side.

Seriously, not only is it a nice thing to do, but in the State of Maine it is a law to yield to pedestrians in a crosswalk. However, few motorists will even acknowledge a pedestrian

an's existence, let alone yield to them.

I know this to be true because in my line of work as a sales rep I am often attempting to cross busy streets. I have had ample opportunity to observe the faces of the drivers who go whizzing by pretending they don't see me. There are people that don't stop, but they look so guilty and try so hard not to make eye contact that I almost feel sorry for them. There are some drivers that are so focused on where they are going and what they have to do once they get there, they really don't notice me. Then there are the drivers who slow down, grin at me as I step forward, then speed up and laugh as I jump back to the curb.

I have noticed that more motorists stop for me on beautiful sunny days when I really don't mind waiting a few minutes. But when it's raining or stormy, the people in dry warm cars seldom stop. I have stood in the pouring rain for a very long time before I could cross. It's on these days that some of the drivers will even look at me as if they are annoyed that I was standing there in the rain making them feel guilty because they splashed me as they passed by.

But there are people who do stop and smile as they wave me across. They do this with such ease that I'm sure they do it all the time. I always mouth a thank you and wave appreciatively as I pass in front of them. So rare are these gems of courtesy that I feel like sending them a thank you card.

I may not be a driving force in motor vehicle courtesy reform, but I do use my directional signals and I do stop for pedestrians. The way I see it, if I don't get hit by a car as I cross the street and I live until my 70th birthday when I will have to take a driver's test again, just maybe by then the examiners will focus on courtesy and not parallel parking.

Bethel

by Virginia Keniston

Guests over the Fourth of July holiday at the Davis Camp at Songo Pond were Susan and Emily White of Lisbon Falls, Jackson and Sylvia Harvey and children, Andrienne and Rosalie, of Lewiston, and Michael Davis and family of Norway.

Amy Davis has been visiting with her sister and husband, Nancy and Wally Stickney, at their home in Locke Mills.

Maggie Davis, Northfield, Mass., has been staying at her grandmother Amy Davis' camp at Songo while visiting in the area.

Hi and Mary Lou Berry spent three days last week at her brother Dana Eames' camp in Magalloway.

Linda Westleigh visited her aunt, Isabelle Bennett in Lexington, Mass., on Saturday to pick up her daughter, Lisa Pivin, and granddaughter, Andrea, who have been on a vacation in Florida. Lisa's husband, Paul, and daughter, Laura, had returned to Bethel a week ago from the vacation with his family and spending time with his mother in Port Lucia.

Mary Keoskie, formerly of Bethel, summer visitor with her husband, Charlie, in Brunswick near their daughter, Carol, is recovering from a broken shoulder. Her street address is 47 Tufton Street, and zip code is 04011.

Robert and Jane Cummings and children, Christopher and Marli, from Hooks, Texas, have visited for a week with her parents, Helen and John Cummings.

Mary Keniston will be collecting Bethel news for another week for Ginny Keniston. Please call 2504 or leave it at the Bethel Citizen by 9 a.m. Tuesday.

Nancie Coan, formerly of NTL, is back in Bethel for about five weeks. She is house-sitting at Jan and Lorenzo Baker's on Elm Street.

At the July 11 meeting of Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge there were eight and one half tables and a Mitchell movement was played. First-place winners north-south were Jane Fournier and Nick Karamessinis; second, Adele Bendas and Marcella Allaire; third, Richard Allen and Pete Cummings; fourth, Errol and Pam Libby. East-west winners were Nancy Farmer and Don Hitch first place; second, Carol Curran and Sue Dame-

end Earl Bell and his wife Marilyn's home at Papoose Pond.

The Bells lost just about all their worldly possessions, including their dog, in the fire. On Sunday, July 6, just a few days after the fire, Reverend Bell conducted the worship service at the West Bethel Union Church as usual. The only difference was that all his clothing con-

Hanover

by Clem Worcester

Bill and Gail Worcester had a Fourth of July barbecue at their Howard Pond Road

home to celebrate the holiday. Attending were Bruce and Debbie Swan and family, Melburn and Rose Hutchins, Louise Worcester, David Worcester, Stanley Brown, Betty Hayden, Robert Brown, Rebecca Bedell and Brian Worcester.

Mike Worcester visited his brother, Brad, at his Belfast home over the weekend.

Regan Souve celebrated her birthday with a party at her Howard Pond home last Thursday.

The Hanover selectboard will meet at the Town Office on Tuesday, July 22, at 5 p.m. for their regular monthly meeting.

Dave Worcester has created a pictorial display of historic Hanover scenes. It is presently on display at the Hanover Town Office. Included are Hanover street scenes, industrial sites along with Howard Pond and mountain pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Revay from Massachusetts have been staying at a cottage on South Shore Road.

The Nardoni family is staying in a cottage on Howard Pond Road.

Brian Worcester and his daughter, Kaylynn, along with their father, Sara, went for a wilderness trip in Brian's new truck. They saw three moose, deer and other wildlife along their journey.

Thought for the week: "Life consists not in holding good cards, but in playing those you hold well."

Bits and Pieces magazine, June 03.

East Bethel

by Nancy Mercer

Richard Kimball celebrated his birthday on July 16.

Alder River Grange will sponsor the second East Bethel School Reunion on Sept. 28 from 2 to 4 p.m.

If anyone has "stuff" in their attic or garage they would like to be shed of, give it to the Grange for their annual yard sale on Aug. 16. No clothes, please. If pickup is needed, give Stan Howe a call at 824-2291 or me at 824-3350.

The East Bethel Church will have a service on July 27 at 2 p.m. Ben Conant will do the service. August is still tentative.

Roger and Louise Twitchell and Nancy Kimball and her daughter and son-in-law joined the Bethel Senior Citizens Club on a trip to the Heritage.

Super Crossword

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enjoys helping young people whenever and wherever she can in spite of suffering the effects of two devastating strokes in the past thirty years. And in case you haven't noticed I am her biggest fan after her husband, two sons, and her brother, Frank and wife, Suzi. She has really worked hard to recover most of her mobility and her determination to lead as productive life as possible, besides keeping her sweet disposition, is an inspiration to us all.

We finally got the tree down that was very near the living room windows. It had lost couple branches onto the roof during a storm and we decided it was not a good thing to have it so close. It certainly opens up the view, besides giving us more morning sun. Andy always wanted to get it down, but the people he had spoken to were not sure they wanted to tackle it, but Calla Cobb's fiancé, Jeff Tyler, and his brothers were able to do it.

Ralph and Lorene have been very busy helping Calla get ready for her wedding, which was Saturday, July 12. I should be able to remember the date because it would have been Andy and my sixth anniversary on the 12th.

Bryant Pond



by
Alice Hoyt

Services at the Baptist Church are Sunday School and Adult Bible Fellowship at 9:15 a.m., morning worship at 10:30 a.m., evening service at 6 p.m. Wednesday evening at 6:30 is prayer meeting and kids hour. Thursday morning at 9 a.m. is Ladies Bible time at the parsonage.

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday, July 7, with 15 members and one guest present. Painting of the dining room was reported on. The water pipe has been fixed. It was voted to help the Legion auxiliary with a blood drive in August. Next meeting is Ladies Night and a supper on July 21. If you have any homemade items for the Grange to use in their exhibition at the fairs (members only), call Peggy Blake or Olive Risko. A patriotic program for the Fourth of July was held as follows: opening thought, Bertha DeHaas; song by all, America the Beautiful; Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag; Bertha read about the pledge; song by all, My Country 'Tis of Thee; patriotic readings by three officers; Dot Canwell whistled a song; more reading by three more officers; Dot Canwell and Yvonne Nolan played several tunes; quiz about the flag by Bertha; song, This is My Country, by all; closing thought, Bertha DeHaas.

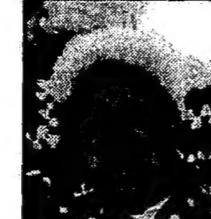
Whitman Memorial Library is having a Story Hour each Tuesday at 10 a.m. They are also having a summer reading contest. Please join them.

Curator Larry Billings has donated to the Historical Society some print from the Chase Store



that he once bought from Basil Seguin. The Standard Storyteller was published three years ago. The society already has a printer's desk and collection of print from another donor, so this supplements that. The society has copies of the Standard Storyteller on file as well as a copy of the first issue, which Robert Billings framed years ago. The latter Larry believes George Hooper found in an old house during renovation. These donations are part of the jigsaw puzzle of the society's collection on publishing in Bryant Pond years ago.

Greenwood City



by
Rena Curtis

Another week has gone. Had a few hot days, but has cooled off now. Good sleeping

weather.

On the Fourth, Ann Payne took her mother and father, Fay and Leonas Holt, down to the 60th wedding anniversary party for Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Record.

Saturday, Jim and Beth Parada; Hannah and Aaron, also Sarah and Jon Murray of Turner visited their father, Brad, and Ann Payne. Cora Payne of South Paris, and daughter, visited Cora's son and wife, Brad and Ann Payne. Sunday, Ann and Brad had her parents, Leonas and Fay Holt and David Holt from Norway and her Aunt Colista of South Paris for dinner and when Colista got ready to go back, David took her in his 1942 Ford car. She really liked that.

Pine Tree Paving has just capped over Brad and Ann Payne's driveway.

Fred and Mande Curtis and their two children, Felicia and Akalya went to their camp in Albany for the weekend.

Albert Curtis Sr. mowed down

my bamboo in hopes to get rid of it. My son in Kentucky, Kenneth, called. He said it was awful dry out there. The ground is cracking open.

Carl Curtis was home for the weekend. He was up to have coffee with me.

William Curtis called on me several times.

Quote of the week: "Good manners may be found in six words — forget yourself and think of others."

That's it for this week. Hope you had a good Fourth of July weekend.

West Paris



by
Bertha DeHaas

Well, folks, this morning dawned clear and cool for a change (46 degrees to be exact). Felt much more like September than the 10th of July. Seems good, but strange after our recent hot weather of the last couple of weeks.

Just received a letter (and request for money) from someone in Falmouth, Maine, who is under the misapprehension that the Maine Black Bear is on the "Endangered Species" list, when in truth we have between 22,000 and 30,000 bears inhabiting our fair state. This is according to statistics in regard to bears in our state — the records in Augusta.

This gentleman feels there should

be no trapping or chasing the bears with bear dogs. On the other hand, those of us in this area of Oxford County are overrun with bears this year. "Bernadette" with two cubs, another female bear (unnamed so far) with one cub, a large (450 pounds) male bear with a diamond shaped patch of white fur under his chin that someone has named "Rufus," and about half a dozen "unattached" or teen-aged bears that have been wandering around.

These bears, and possibly others, have been getting into garbage cans, bird feeders, sheds, garages and wherever they can find food (or where it has been).

Be sure to clean up thoroughly after a picnic or cookout. Do not have food outside or even on your windowsills, as this will attract bears, coons, skunks, porcupines, squirrels, chipmunks, foxes, rats, etc.

It is not a good idea to alter wild animals' diets, not to draw them away from their natural habitat.

Marauding bears can be very dangerous to pets, children and yourself and should be avoided at all costs. One swat of a bear's paw could knock most of us out in a heartbeat, so beware of the bears.

Discovered fall asters and brown-eyed susans blossomed on the

Fourth of July day. These usually

do not flower until September.

What is happening this year? It

seems that Mother Nature is having a temper tantrum or something.

See you next week.

SKI CENTER NAMED AFTER KAILEY
At a memorial service Saturday, Gould Academy re-named its competition center at Sunday River Ski Resort "The Paul G. Kailey Competition Center" in honor of former teacher and coach, the late Paul G. Kailey. The ceremony was attended by Kailey's family, friends, and colleagues from the ski industry. The center, located at the base of Barker Mountain, is the home base of the Gould Academy/Sunday River Competition programs. It includes facilities for athlete gatherings, video analysis, dryland conditioning, and coaches' offices. Kailey, who began his teaching and coaching career at Gould in 1950, died this spring. At the gathering, Kailey was remembered as a respected teacher of European history, and an outstanding coach who helped develop Gould's renowned competitive skiing program. His skiing colleague, Brett Russell, said of Kailey, "He was a tough, but compassionate coach. His skiers were well-trained and disciplined, but not cocky." Kailey's son, Peter, also spoke, saying, "Dad never thought of himself as special, he thought of himself as lucky. He would be shocked and very honored to have seen this gathering here today." Here, Peter Kailey and his sister, Cindy Kailey Hieber, examine an old photo of their father.

ond family, I put up the window to scare her away, destroyed her new nest, pulled down the screen leaving her no room to nest again. Hopefully, she found a good place to raise her second family.

On July 20 at the West Summer Universalist Church, the Rev. Herbert Adams will be the speaker. Harriet Rudd is organist. The service is at 11 a.m., with refreshments following. All are welcome.

The craft group in West Paris is again meeting on Thursday afternoon at 1.

Vicki Sanborn and Virginia Ariadas are with their father, Vernon Inman, for a few days.

Buffy was sheared and is a funny sight. All have been laughing at him. He lays in the sun and turns pink so has to be watched closely so as not to get a sunburn.

Albany



by Dana & Sheila Dyke

Hello from Albany Township. We want to thank everyone who has so kindly told us

how much they enjoy reading our column, especially regarding our recent trip to Canada. One thing we did forget to mention was that Pam and Carlton's dog, Grizzly (a Pomeranian-Chihuahua mix) rode most of the way to and from Canada on Carlton's bike. He's quite the seasoned rider.

Last Thursday was the church's first supper, and we understand that it went very well and pulled in quite a sum for the Ladies Circle. The next supper will be held next Thursday, July 24th, beginning at 5:30 p.m. Now, if you miss the 5:30 sitting, there usually is a second seating, so, don't worry — there should still be plenty of good food for all to enjoy.

Before we forget, to the nice woman who wrote us a while ago about the Hunt's Corner Cemetery (we're sorry, we've misplaced your letter, and cannot recall your name). We have learned that it is

West Paris



by
Joyce Lamb
The house is nearly empty. Wendy Lamb returned to Georgia on Saturday, taking

two days to reach home. Joseph and Nicki Lamb flew out on Sunday returning to Athens, Ohio. Allen and Myrna returned to Sterling, Mass.

It was nice having all the gang together for a visit. Now all is quiet. When I put things down they are there when I go back. Hopefully, everything will be in its place in a few days. Leftovers are the menu. I hope things won't mold before I can consume them.

A mother mourning bird was the entertainment for two weeks, for she had built a stick nest on the windowsill in the upstairs bedroom. She was discovered when company arrived to occupy the room and wanted to open the window. There were two fuzzy balls under the mother's wings. She kept busy feeding them and at night cuddling them. They grew so fast and changed every day. Within two weeks they were fully feathered out. She left them the last two days, flying back at night. They then all flew away. The next day I cleaned the sill and within an hour she was rebuilding her nest. How can she carry such large sticks? She settled onto the nest ready to start her sec-

ond nest.

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the one on the Parsonage Road, which is off of the Picnic Hill Road (you'll go up the road a bit, and then it will bear to the right onto Parsonage Road, or you can keep straight). We hope that you find the information you've been looking for.

Best wishes to all for a happy and safe week. God Bless.

Waterford

by
Rocky Graham
I figure if I keep changing the color of my type, eventually I will find out the truth (because the perpetrator used a too strong word) and will ask what is wrong with the computer and thereby reveal him or herself. Or it will be ignored and changed to suit the person using it. It all seems to be a part of living with others who do not appear to be experienced at the fine art of group living. So it goes.

Having missed the main parts of the Norway festival this weekend, I was able to arrive in time to take in most of "Poets on the Porch." I only missed a few and the keynote poet, Baron Wormser, our Poet Laureate of Maine, I at least got to visit with him after the reading. I did arrive in time to hear the poems of some old friends and to read my own work. I, and Lisa Moore, the woman responsible for organizing the event, got to put in a plug for Mountain Poets. We will be having a poetry reading the last Thursday of the month, July 31, at the Fare Share Commons, Main Street in Norway. I will look forward to it.

I also look forward to finding my poems. One of the disadvantages of moving is living out of boxes and not being able to find anything.

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Wetzel, Casco; Pat Jillson,
Otisfield; Nellie Swan, Paris;
and Darlene Grover, South
Paris. Absent from the photo
is Chris Otten of Bethel. The
Mollyockett Chorus will sing
the National Anthem for
Oxford Hills Night at the
Seadogs' baseball game
on Friday, July 18. Other
summer appearances will
be Aug. 24 at the Bethel
gazebo, at the Dixfield Bi-
centennial on Sept. 14,
and Monday evening, Aug. 4,
at Paris Hill Baptist Church.

Summer is always an especially busy time at the Congregational Church at the foot of Plummer Hill Road in Waterford Village. Special music is planned for each of the Worship Services at 9:30 on Sunday mornings through the months of July, August, and September. Nursery care and programs for children continue throughout the summer.

Fourteen children attended Vacation Bible School the last week in June at the Wilkins Community House. The theme for the week was "All God's Critters." This was a joint effort between the Waterford, North Waterford, Stoneham and

Sweden churches and was led by Pastors Anita White and George Frobig.

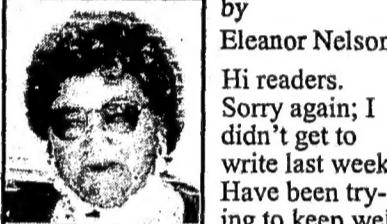
Sarah Leonard enjoyed a week at the UCC summer camp Pilgrim Lodge in early July. Sarah wrote the congregation from camp to thank them for the church scholarship she received to attend the camp.

The church will hold a giant Yard Sale on the Village Common on Saturday, Aug. 2, from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Karen Filebrown is again in charge of this fundraiser to benefit the Sunday School and the Church Improvement Fund.

The second Summer Hymn Sing

and Ice Cream Sundae Social is scheduled for Wednesday, Aug. 20, at 7 p.m. All are invited to come to the church to share in singing, listening to, and even requesting favorite hymns, then enjoying ice cream sundaes and other sweets following the sing.

East Stoneham



by
Eleanor Nelson

Hi readers.
Sorry again; I
didn't get to
write last week.

Have been try-
ing to keep well

but not doing a very good job at it. Anyway, some people gave me some news and I will pass it along.

Word comes from Donald Hall, Wareham, Mass., that his aunt, Muriel Barnes, of East Freetown, Mass., has recently passed away. Muriel taught school in the early 1930s at the Slab City School in Lovell. She boarded at Bert and Marion Kendall's. Later, she and her family bought land and built the "Retreat Cottage" in East Stone-

ham, where they spent vacations for many years.

Molly Nelson was on the dean's list for superior academic performance during the spring semester of 2003 at Endicott College in Beverly, Mass. She is presently working at a horseback-riding ranch in New Hampshire. She says some days it is hard work, but she likes it.

The newly renovated Cutler Majestic Theater at Emerson College in Boston was the setting for the 22nd annual EVVY Awards on May 17. The EVVYs are Emerson's version of the Oscars with nominees in categories of film, stage television, writing, etc. Notable Emerson alumni include Henry Winkler, Jay Leno and Norman Lear.

Matthew Nelson of Lovell was one of three finalists out of approximately 150 for an award in script writing, not usually reserved for freshman. Nelson is a theater studies major at Emerson and also works in film playwriting and script writing. He was thrilled when the nominees were announced on stage, and as the host opened the envelope his name was read as

winner for Best Script Drama. Nelson has also written a script that has been chosen to be produced into a movie next fall. Matt is a 2002 graduate of Fryeburg Academy.

I hope you people don't mind my bragging a little about our grandchildren, but I do like good news, don't you?

Date hiked part of the New Grafton Loop Trail in Newry to the top of Puzzle Mountain recently. He noted that the trail crew put a lot of work into building the trail.

North Waterford Church had its first church public supper on July 1 and it was very successful with full seatings and more. Next one will be July 29. The Albany suppers (Hunt's Corner) are July 24, Aug. 7 and Aug. 21. Hopefully, we can make one or more of these.

Paul and Lindsey Barnard were here from Virginia this past week and stayed at the Inn at Evergreen Valley. They own a timeshare unit there. Cheryl joined them on Friday and spent the day here with us over the Fourth. They all had to go back to Virginia on Saturday, as their flight on US Airways was booked up full and they had to get back to work.

This week, Sharon and Howard Berman from Arlington, Mass., are here at their cottage at Lake Keewatin for a few days' vacation.

The strawberries at Barton's Farm are just as good as always. Albert did go up and pick a flat and he is still lame from it. I hope to get some more before the season is over. We had strawberry shortcake three days in a row. Okay, the doctor says fruit is good for you and I use the lite Coolwhip — sparingly.

Family reunions

SMITH FAMILY

Descendants of Simon and Maryann McKeen Smith (and other branches), late of Stow, will hold their annual reunion on Sunday, Aug. 3, at the Beano building on Fryeburg Fairgrounds. Rain or shine, 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. All Smith "cousins" are invited to attend. There will be scrapbooks, photos, charts, etc., on display to help those tracing their family lineage.

At noon, there will be a potluck lunch. Please bring a dish to add to the table. To raise funds for next year's reunion, there will be a tag sale table; clean salable items are

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needed.

If you have Smiths in your ancestral line, please try to attend. Your help may unravel a mystery in someone else's line. It's always nice to meet new "cousins."

Due to many towns going E-911, addresses are changing and notices returned. If you have had a recent address change and want to receive future notices, contact me, Barbara Eastman, at 1209 Main Road, Chatham, NH 03813 or (603) 694-3623. Hope to see you at the reunion.

From the

Andover Olde Home Days Committee

Andover Olde Home Days will hold this celebration as always — the first weekend in August. This year will be Aug. 1, 2, and 3. Please make your plans to attend this event that traditionally brings thousands of visitors to this little town in the valley. The theme this year is "Lest we Forget" as a memorial to the people and the fami-

lies of those lost in the continuing quest for world peace. Join the parade — remember first prize is \$100 for the winning float. Enter the flower show and photography contest — all are welcome.

*From the
Bethel Rotary Club*

This week in Rotary, Bethel Historical Society (BHS) Executive Director Dr. Stanley (Stan) Howe shared with us highlights of the Bethel Historical Society.

Eva Bean started the society in 1966, with particular focus on the cemeteries. She had such intellect and determination, especially in overcoming her physical challenges. Eva passed away in 1969, but her perseverance and spirit still lives within the people of the society today.

Stan never imagined that he would be executive director of the BHS, needless to say for the last 30 years. He had thought he'd be a college professor.

BHS has a reputation as a pioneer and leader in Maine with a willingness to take chances in its facilities

to exhibits to events. The building has been great, and now the big challenge is the pending addition to the Robinson House. It will just be a matter of time and it's anticipated to hold conference/workshop/educational facilities, the Hastings Craft Room, and exhibit space. Years ago, Sidney Davidson first pointed out that the former Bethel Inn building would be a great house for the BHS.

BHS has become a leader in publications and has won several awards. Randy Bennett has done marvelous work in this area. This avenue allows those to "see" the exhibit and it brings interest and awareness to the community.

BHS continues to form its hopeful niche of presenting and housing the history of Northern New England. And, it is Stan's hope that more and more people find history synonymous with Bethel.

In answering questions, Stan confirmed that he was on the Rotary 1977 Group Study Exchange Team that visited France. There is a new exhibit at BHS called Wood and Woods. For as little as \$10, anyone can become a BHS member. BHS is the largest organization in the county and fourth largest historical society in the state, and it has the longest serving director.

The club took advantage of Stan's visit to proudly present him with the highest non-Rotarian honor of Paul Harris Fellow. Stan was recognized for his contributions to the Bethel community and the Bethel Historical Society. Stan is active with the grange, politics, and town boards. Past District Governor Tim Placey pinned Stan with this distinguished award in which a contribution has been given to The Rotary Foundation in his name.

As a note of history, 1977 was the first year that the district sent a GSE team and this was the one that Stan participated in.

In continuing with congratulations, Chair Kevin Finley presented LeeAnn Wright with a nontraditional scholarship. LeeAnn will be attending CMTC.

Lainey Cross accepted a club contribution on behalf of Channel 4—Community Channel. Lainey serenaded the club in thanks and indicated that the contribution would most likely go toward the purchase of equipment.

Inside Rotary: Congratulations to Past President Mike Liberti and our club for receiving the 2002-2003 Presidential Citation Award. Good to see you Dawn. Thanks to all those who helped with the Food Booth at the Art Fair.

The Rotary Club of Bethel meets weekly on Tuesdays at The Bethel Inn and Country Club at 7:30 a.m.



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Stylist Kathy (Legendre) Corriveau has joined Teresa's Hair Studio, owned by Teresa Chase, in Bryant Pond. Corriveau does men's, women's and children's hair, as well as manicures and pedicures. She has 10 years of experience as a stylist. Corriveau, who grew up in the Bethel area, lived in Vermont for a time, and returned to the area about four years ago. Here, she styles client Crystal Bonney's hair. Corriveau does hair by walk-in or appointment. Customers may call receptionist Darcy Tyler (665-2500) and ask about the 10 for 9 Club, which offers a free haircut. Corriveau's hours are Monday and Thursday, 8:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Friday 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.; and Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. (Photo by Alison Aloisio)

D.B.A. (Doing Business As) features new and evolving businesses in the greater Bethel area. There is no charge for D.B.A. listings, which are published as space permits. For information, call Alison Aloisio at 824-2444 or send e-mail to: news@bethelcitizen.com.

*From the
O.C.R.S.W.C.*

Total tonnage shipped in June — 180.60 tons.

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From the

Oxford County Democrats

Dorothy Melanson, chair of the Maine Democratic Party, and Rep. Robert Duplessis, assistant majority leader in the Maine House of Representatives, will speak to the Oxford County Democrats at the July meeting, scheduled for Thursday, July 17, at the Stony Brook Campground, on Route 2 in Hanover. Melanson will provide an update on the activities of the state party, and Duplessis will offer a legislative update. Representatives of the Edwards, Dean and Kucinich presidential campaigns are expected to attend, as is Violet Ray-

mond of Congressman Michael Michaud's Lewiston office.

The meeting, scheduled for 6:30 p.m., will be preceded by a pot-luck picnic at 5:30. Anyone interested in electing Democrats is welcome to attend. For information call County Chair Cathy Newell, 875-2116.

From the

Telstar Alumni Association

The Telstar Alumni Association held its July 8 meeting at Liam's Restaurant on the Sunday River Road. Plans were finalized for our booth on the common for Mollock Day, July 19. All Telstar alumni are urged to stop by and chat.

A Car Show at Telstar High School is also being planned for the same day from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. The show will feature a new trophy category, sponsored by the Telstar Alumni Association.

The Class of 1973 is still accepting reservations for their class re-

Andover Olde Home Days

August 1, 2, 3, 2003

Theme: "LEST WE FORGET"

Thursday, July 31

10 a.m. Judging for Garden Contest

Friday, Aug. 1

6:30 p.m. Band Concert On The Common (Leavin' City Limits)

Saturday, Aug. 2

10 a.m. Parade on Main Street
8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Coffee/Donuts
Cookie Walk
Luncheon

church

Taste of Andover Raffle
Bike/Doll Carriage Parade

Photo Contest Exhibit
Closest to the Pin (golf)

Chicken Barbecue
Pie Eating Contest
(Enter early — limited number of pies)

Children's Games
Flower Show/Open House
Antique/Classic Car Show

12:30 p.m. Fly Casting Contest
Fly Tying Demo
First Button Drawings
Fire Muster
Family Folk Music Concert
(Roger Tincknell)

Line Dancing Demo
Road Apple Roll

3 p.m. Final Button Drawing
Family Folk Music Concert
(Roger Tincknell)

4 p.m. Arm Wrestling
Karaoke
Ellis River Riders/Game Show
Vendors/Crafts/Games/Food

Horse-Drawn Wagon Rides
(Courtesy of Harry Hutchinson of West Paris)

8 p.m. Dance (BYOB)
Music by Paul Newton from Lewiston

Sunday Aug. 3

All Day Horse Show at South Andover

No admission for spectators — Raffle Drawing — Food on Sale

Olde Home Days tee's, buttons, and 50/50 Raffle tickets on sale Friday evening and Saturday

Please — No dogs on the common unless a service dog.

A special thanks to Mead Westvaco for providing transportation from the lower recreation field to the church parking lot from 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. on Saturday, Aug. 2.

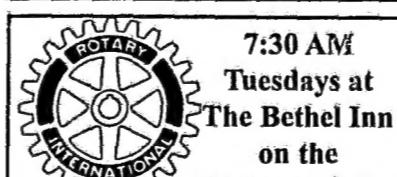
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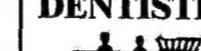
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union, the Song River Cruise, on Aug. 2. There have been 40 people who have responded as of July 1. Alice Deegan said it isn't too late to contact her about the reunion.

Next on the Alumni Association agenda is Alumni Day 2003, to be held on Aug. 9, at the high school from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

*From the
White Mountain
National Forest*

Wednesday Night With A Ranger
(Corrected list)

Wednesday Night With A Ranger programs are presented by the Forest Service every Wednesday evening beginning at 8 p.m. at the Appalachian Mountain Club's Pinkham Notch Visitor Center on Route 16, 11 miles south of Gorham. White Mountain National Forest staff look forward to the opportunity to share national forest management topics with interested residents and visitors.

July 16: Leave No Trace — Sunbar/LNT Traveling Trainers.

July 23: The Goals and Gear of Fire in the Forest — Fire Program Manager Craig Young.

July 30: White Mountain Lure and the CCC Era — Interpreter Emily Beers.

Aug. 6: From the Picnic Table to the Summit: Caring For the Land — Backcountry Ranger Tim Yurkiewicz.

Aug. 13: Tech Tools in the Forest — Peg Heaney, Technology Information Specialist.

Aug. 20: Tuckerman Ravine — Snow Ranger Justin Preisendorfer.

Aug. 27: Wildlife in the Working Forest...and Let's Look for Bats — Wildlife Biologist Chris Costello.

All Wednesday Night With A Ranger programs are free and all local residents, campers, and visitors

tors to the area are invited. Programs last about an hour, including time for questions and discussion from the audience. For more information, call the Androscoggin Ranger station at (603) 466-2713, or the Appalachian Mountain Club at (603) 466-2621.

The Bethel Historical Society's Hall Memorial Fund sponsors an annual lecture by a leading scholar in New England history.

*From the
Bethel Historical
Society's Regional
History Center*

*From the
District Exchange*

The District Exchange continues to be a wonderful service to our communities through the thrift shop and food pantry. Items are recycled, families outfitted with good clothing, and proceeds used for food for the pantry. However, people continue to leave items on the porch and steps at the Ethel Bissell building during the hours that the exchange is closed. This is a major burden for the operation as all items left outside are thrown away. This adds to the cost of running the exchange and is a lot of work for our faithful volunteers. Please do not leave anything on the porch or steps. If it is not possible to bring items during hours of operation (Monday 1 to 4 p.m., Thursday 3 to 5 p.m., or Saturday 10 a.m. to noon), please call Cathy Newell, 875-2116, to arrange for a convenient time for a volunteer to meet you.

The grants received from Rotary International and the Bethel Rotary Club are meeting needs of individuals in our communities. Several adults are taking driver education, emergency fuel oil has been delivered, and health-related supplies have been purchased. Referrals for assistance may be directed to Cathy Newell or Maryvonne Wheeler.



BABE RUTHERS—The Bethel A Babe Ruth baseball team finished the year with a record of 9-6 and qualified for the playoffs. Pictured are, front (from left): Doug Costello, Andy Whitney, Kevin Wight, Charlie Rice. Back: Tyler Hodson, Will Carver, Gavin Parker, Ryan Kimball, Nate Walker. Absent: Matt Zinchuk, Parker Thurston, Alex Crockett. Qualifying for All-Star teams were Costello, Rice, Whitney, Parker, Kimball, Carver and Walker. Coaches were Brad Wight, Rick Whitney and Scott Parker.

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Schedule of Events

Friday July 18th

11:00 AM - Library Book Sale

Saturday July 19th

7:30 - 9:30 AM Bethel Inn Pancake Breakfast
7:30 - 11:00 AM United Methodist Church Coffee & Donuts Sale, Cookie Walk, and Flea Market
7:30 AM Registration for Road Races at the Bethel Common
8:00 AM - 6:00 PM Library Book Sale
8:30 AM Mollyockett Day Classic Road Race (Children's start time)
9:00 AM Adult (Runners & Walkers) start time for Road Race
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM Farmer's Market, Bethel Family Health Center parking lot
10:30 AM - Noon Telstar High School Car Show at Telstar, free shuttle 10-2, Chapman Inn
11:00 - Noon H.O.G., Harley Owners Group Bike Show, Telstar High School Parade - "The Good Olde Days"
11:00 - 2:00 PM Chicken BBQ and Computerized Fire Fighter Presentation, Fire Station presentation, at the Gazebo
Noon Gazebo Entertainment - Julie & Brownie, Songs for Kids
12:30 - 1:30 PM Bed Race-Tri Town Rescue and Bethel Rescue
1:00 PM Scoggins Cloggers and Spring St. Cloggers, Bridget's School of Dance, Bethel Fire Station
1:00 - 5:00 PM CHIPS, Child Identification Program, Bethel Fire Station
1:30 - 2:30 PM Gazebo Entertainment - Mahoosuc Community Band
1:30 - 2:30 PM Stan Howe's Lawn; Bethel Family Health Center's 21st Annual Frog Jumping Contest
2:30 - 3:30 PM Gazebo Entertainment - Jewel Clark & Donnie Katlin
4:00 - 5:30 PM Gazebo Entertainment - The Muddy Marsh Ramblers
4:30 - 5:30 PM Registration for Fiddler's Contest
5:00 PM Duck Race at the Artist's Covered Bridge on the Sunday River
5:30 - 7:00 PM 7th Annual Old Time Fiddlers Contest
7:30 - 9:00 PM Gazebo Entertainment - Malinda Liberty & The Silver & Lace Band
9:00 PM Fireworks, sponsored by - Dick & Gretchen Rasor and Les & Chris Otten

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THURSDAY EVENING JULY 17, 2003											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) '70s Show	'70s Show	WWE SmackDown!		News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight				
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "The One"		Whose? Whose?		700 Club					
(6) Hollywood	Seinfeld	Friends	Will & Grace	Will-Grace	Dateline		News				
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Disco Ball		Primetime Thursday		News					
(10) News-Lehrer		History Detectives	Maine	Made In	Mystery!		Wide Angle				
(22) Pete Rose on Trial				Baseball	SportsCenter						
(34) Movie: "For Your Eyes Only"				Ren Gary	Stripperella	Ren Slimp					
(13) Friends	Ent. Tonight	Amazing Race 4	CSI: Crime Scn		Without a Trace		News				
(41) Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show					
(15) Movie: "A Knight's Tale" Cont'd		Movie: "Consequence"		Seabiscuit	GString	GString					
(17) Sister, Sis. Lizzie		Movie: "The Even Stevens Movie"		Sister, Sis. Even	Boy World	Proud					
(18) "Summer Catch" Cont'd		Movie: "What About Bob?"		Movie: "Showtime"							
(20) MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox			Innings	Extra Inn	ESPNNews						
(44) Movie: "For All Time"		Movie: "Her Deadly Rival"		Golden	Golden						
(5) Friends	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves			Seinfeld	Movie: "Batman & Robin"						
(24) Hey Arnold! Rugrats	SpongeBob	Amanda	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby	Cosby		
(25) "Highlander" Cont'd		Movie: "High Plains Drifter"		Movie: "Joe Kidd"							
(26) JAG	JAG		Movie: "12 Monkeys"								
(27) American Justice	Biography		Movie: "Columbo: Murder in Malibu"		Third Watch						
(12) Home Imp. Will-Grace	Movie: "Just Cause"		News		Rockford Files						
(39) Live From the Headlines	Live From the Headlines	Larry King Live	NewsNight-Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight							

FRIDAY EVENING JULY 18, 2003											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox			News		Frasier	Ent. Tonight					
(32) 7th Heaven		Movie: "Stuart Little"		Whose? Whose?	700 Club						
(6) Hollywood	Seinfeld	Dateline		Law & Order		News					
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Funnest Home Videos	Whose? Whose?	20/20		News					
(10) News-Lehrer		Wash Wk Wall	Keeping Up	Time Goes	Neighbors	One Foot	Now With Bill Moyers				
(22) SportsCtr.	Golf: American Century Celebrity Championship	Baseball Tonight		SportsCenter							
(34) Blind Date	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	Star Trek: Next Gener.	CSI: Crime Scn							
(13) Friends	Ent. Tonight	Big Brother 4	JAG	48 Hours Mystery		News					
(41) Sports	NASCAR	Best Damn Sports Show Period		Sports	Sports	Best Damn Sports Show					
(15) Don't Tell Mom		Movie: "Spider-Man"		Wire	Bad Boys II	On Record					
(17) So Raven Lizzie	"Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"	Movie: "Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-Off"		Sister, Sis.							
(18) "Ocean's Eleven" Cont'd	Movie: "High Crimes"	Movie: "The Ghost and the Darkness"									
(20) MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox			Innings	ESPNNews	ESPNNews						
(44) Movie: "Dangerous Child"		Movie: "Going for Broke"		Golden	Golden						
(5) Friends	MLB Baseball: New York Mets at Atlanta Braves			Seinfeld	Movie: "Top Gun"						
(24) Hey Arnold! Rugrats	SpongeBob	Neutron	Oddparents	ChalkZone	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.	3's Co.			
(25) Movie: "Dilling" Cont'd	Movie: "An American Werewolf in London"	Movie: "Rosemary's Baby"									
(26) JAG	Movie: "Bring It On"		Monk		Law Order CI						
(27) American Justice	Biography	Touch of Frost			Third Watch						
(12) Home Imp. Will-Grace	Movie: "She-Devil"		News		Broadway's Best						
(39) Live From the Headlines	Live From the Headlines	Larry King Live	NewsNight-Aaron Brown	Lou Dobbs Tonight							

SATURDAY EVENING JULY 19, 2003											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Supercop 2"		News	Sanders	Entertainment Tonight					
(32) Dance	Switched!	Movie: "Air Bud"		Movie: "Joe Versus the Volcano"							
(6) Maine	Seinfeld	Just Shoot	Just Shoot	Movie: "Bowfinger"		News	Sat. Night				
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Krippendorf's Tribe"		Dragnet		News	Practice				
(10) Made In	Maine	Quest: Investigating	Nova	Nova		Red Green	Red Green				
(22) NHRA Drag Racing: Mile-High Nationals Qualifying		Great Outdoor Games		SportsCenter							
(34) Blind Date	Bind Date	Real TV	Real TV	Elimination	Elimination	WWE Velocity	WWE Confidential				
(15) Entertainment Tonight		48 Hours Investigates	Hack		District	News	Andromeda				
(41) World Team Tennis	Beyond the Glory	Beyond the Glory		Best Damn Sports Show	Beyond the Glory						
(15) "Joe Somebody" Cont'd	Movie: "Mr. Deeds"	Bill Maher: Victory		Sex & City	Greenlight						
(17) So Raven Lizzie	"Eddie's Million Dollar Cook-OH"	Kim	Kim	Even	So Raven	Sister, Sis.					
(18) "Cruel Intentions II"	Movie: "Trapped"		Movie: "Ballistic: Ecks vs. Sever"		Erotic						
(20) MLB Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox			Innings	Extra Inn	ESPNNews						
(44) Movie: "Deep Family Secrets"		Movie: "Deadly Whispers"		What Should You Do?							
(5) Seinfeld	Seinfeld	"Austin Powers: International Man of Mystery"	Movie: "Dumb & Dumber"								
(24) Neutron	Oddparents	Rocket Power	Nicktoon	Cosby	Cosby	3's Co.	3's Co.				
(25) "American Graffiti"	Movie: "The Return of the Pink Panther"		Movie: "King Kong"								
(26) Movie: "Patriot Games" Cont'd	Movie: "Clear and Present Danger"		Dragnet								
(27) City Confidential	American Justice	Cold Case Files	John & Carolyn: Portrait	Crossing Jordan							
(12) MLB Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Florida Marlins	Broadway's Best		News	Fresh Pr.	"Predator"						
(39) Capital Gang	CNN Presents	Larry King Live	CNN Saturday Night	CNN Presents							

SUNDAY EVENING JULY 20, 2003											
7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30		
(3) Fortune	Jeopardy!	Movie: "Up Close & Personal"		News	Red Sox	Sanders	'70s Show				
(32) Dance Fever		Movie: "Lucky 7"		Movie: "Lucky 7"							
(6) Dateline		Law Order CI	The Restaurant		News	Hof Ticker					
(8) Movie: "Small Soldiers"		Alias	Practice		News	Buffy					

Events Calendar

Public Computer Access — Hours at the SAD44 Adult Learning Center, Philbrook Street, Bethel are: Tuesday, 9 a.m. to noon; Wednesday, 4:30 to 8:30 p.m.; and Thursday, 9 a.m. to noon for academic instruction and GED preparation, as well as use of the computer lab.

Seniors Lunch every Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30 a.m., at Bethel Methodist Church, Main Street, sponsored by SeniorsPlus. Donation for 60 and older and spouses, \$2.50; all other guests, \$4. Reservations important. For information, menus, reservations, call 824-3168 (also the number to call to apply for Meals on Wheels).

9 a.m. (Thursdays) — Oxford Hills Duplicate Bridge at Town and Country Mobile Home Park community center, Norway. All bridge players invited to attend and bring a friend or two. Refreshments. For more information, call Mimi Bell (743-8081) or Rowena Palmer (743-2882) or e-mail bridge@meagleink.net

10 a.m. — Story Hour for preschoolers (older children welcome) at Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond, Saturday, July 1. FMI: 674-2143.

Thru September, daily Wednesday thru Thursday — 70-minute Heritage Boat Tours on the Androscoggin 10:30 a.m., 1 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:30 p.m. Cost: \$10 for adults and \$5 for children six to 12, free for under six. Northern Heritage Park, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H. www.northernforesterheritage.org

Thru July 25

Androscoggin River Source-to-the-Sea Canoe Trek, a series of day paddles with special events, starts at Lake Umbagog National Wildlife Refuge near Errol, N.H. and ends in Brunswick. Free, but pre-registration required. For details, call either (603) 466-3433 or 527-2916 or visit the Web site at www.androscogginriver.org.

Thursday, July 17

7 p.m. — The Shaw Brothers will present traditional and contemporary music, humor, poems, stories at Community Arts Center, 155 Emery Street, Berlin, N.H. Advance tickets: \$15, at door (if available) \$18. Tickets available at Gills Flower Shop, Berlin and North Country Florist, Gorham, N.H. FMI: (603) 752-1028.

5:30 p.m. — Oxford County Democrats will meet at Stony Brook Campground, Route 2, Hanover for a potluck picnic (5:30 p.m.) and meeting (6:30 p.m.). FMI: call Cathy Newell at 875-2116.

8 p.m. — At Deertrees Theatre, Harrison: The Humble Farmer, Downeast humor with a difference. FMI or tickets, call 583-6747.

7 to 8 p.m. — "Bee Lining," part of the White Mountain National Forest Androscoggin Ranger District Discovery Summer Discovery Program at Dolly Copp Visitor Center, Route 16, Gorham, N.H. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

7:30 p.m. — Chamber Music Festival of the International Musical Arts Institute in Fryeburg will present the Piano Quintet by Cesar Franck along with Beethoven's Piano Trio Op. No. 1 and the Piano Quartet in c minor by Brahms. Admission: \$10/\$5 for seniors and students. FMI: call 935-7696.

Saturday, July 19

Mollyockett Day — Parade ("The Good Olde Days"), races, arts and crafts, entertainment, food, contests, fireworks. Old time Fiddlers Contest will take place in the gazebo on Bethel Common with registration from 10:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Visitors Day at Maine Veterans' Home, 477 High Street, South Paris. Tours available. Light refreshments. FMI: call 539-2552 to reserve for lunch.

7:30 p.m. — Chamber Music Festival of the International Musical Arts Institute in Fryeburg (Gibson Building, Bradley Street) Piano Quintet, Op. 1, by Dohnanyi, the String Sextet in G Major by Brahms and Schumann's Piano Quartet, Op. 47. Admission: \$10/\$5 for seniors and students. FMI: call 935-7696.

Sunday, July 20

2 to 4 p.m. — Visitors Day at Maine Veterans' Home, 477 High Street, South Paris.

Tours available. Light refreshments. FMI: call

539-2552 to reserve for lunch.

Support Services

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5806; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2327.

Alcohol/Drug Treatment

Gateway Recovery Services—Outpatient counseling services. For info. call 207-743-7580.

Diabetes Support Group

The Diabetes Support Group meets on the third Wednesday of each month. The meeting is held from 6:30-7:30pm in the Harper Conference Center in the Ripley/Medical Building. All are welcome to attend. For more information, please contact Betty Sirois at 743-5933.

Exchanges

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday, 1 to 4 p.m.; Tuesday 3 to 5 p.m. and Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Please DO NOT leave articles on the porch or around the entrance when the Exchange is not open. Anything left outside will be thrown away and that costs the Exchange money!

The Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center announces that individuals or families requiring assistance with food needs in the South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Summer areas are invited to call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226 to learn more details.

MS Self-Help Group

Meets the first Friday of the month from 1-2:30 p.m. at the West Parish Congregational Church, next to Gould Academy. For more information, call Gale Toot at 836-2900.

Mental Illness Support Group

Beacon House Social Club, 150 Congress Street, Rumford, a drop-in social club for adults suffering with mental, emotional or physical illness, provides support, relaxation and socialization. Monday, 1 to 5 p.m.; Tuesday 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.; Wednesday 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.; Thursday 3 p.m. to 8 p.m.; Friday 2 p.m. to 7 p.m.; Saturday 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oxford County Mental Health Services, support for adults and children with mental illness same location, second floor, open Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. For more information, call 364-3549 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays or (800) 335-9999 off hours. 928-3222.

REACH

Rape Education and Crisis Hotline 1-800-871-7741. Sexual assault/sexual abuse hotline, same number. Support groups and awareness education, past or present victims of abuse.

Veterans' Services (State/VA Benefits)

Maine Veterans Home, 5 Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 noon (743-6300); Rumford Employee, Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 noon; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main

Library Hours

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-3 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-3 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 1-5 p.m.; Saturday, 9-1 p.m. Story Hour Mondays, 10-11 a.m. October to May. Michelle Conroy, Librarian, 824-2520.

Crescent Park Elementary School: Open every Wednesday evening from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. to the public.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday 1:30 p.m. - 5 p.m.; Thursday 1:30-7 p.m.; West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 1:30-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.; Saturday 9-6:45-2044.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Upton Library: Saturdays 9a.m.- 11a.m.



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Parade ("The Good Olde Days"), races, arts and crafts, entertainment, food, contests, fireworks. Old time Fiddlers Contest

will take place in the gazebo on Bethel Common with registration from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m.

Anyone interested in sponsoring any of the above should call the Mahoosuc Arts office at 824-3575.

8 a.m. (gate opens) — World's Fair in North Waterford. Senior Citizen lunch at noon (Dance Hall). Door prizes. Seniors invited to bring projects for exhibit. Tables available for craft games, cribbage or checkers. Music for dancing by Felt's Band.

8 p.m. — At Deertrees Theatre, Harrison: Carol Noonan and Kate Schrock, female vocalists. Tickets: \$14, available at Maine Discoveries, Norway and Box Office (583-6747).

6:30 p.m. signup — Open Mic at North Waterford Senior Center, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. (Dance Hall). Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

8 to 11 p.m. — Old Fashioned Dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by Richard Felt Orchestra. Proceeds benefit Greenwood Historical Society.

10 a.m. — 1st annual Skunk Run at American Legion Hall, Locke Mills. Registration for run starts 8:30 a.m. at the hall. Pig Roast at 4 p.m. Live music 8 to 12 p.m. \$10 per event or \$30 for all three events and free Skunk Run T-shirt. FMI, call 665-2399 or 743-8254. Proceeds benefit Sandon Morgan Scholarship fund at Tristar.

11 a.m. to 4 p.m. — Dozer Day, fundraising event focused on educating young children from western Maine about heavy construction equipment and workplace safety, will be held at Oxford Fairgrounds, Oxford (rain date: Sunday, July 27). Tickets: \$4 for over age three or \$10 per family. First aid station, booths, souvenirs. Free parking. FMI: 743-4222.

7:30 p.m. — Main Street Center for the Arts, Norway, will present "Rick Adam," a contemporary singer-songwriter recognized for his illustrated compositions for voice and guitar. Tickets: \$10, available at Maine Discoveries, Norway and Box Office (583-6747).

8 p.m. — White Mountain National Forest Saturday Night With A Ranger speaker series will present The Goals and Gear of Fire in the Forest by Fire Program Manager Craig Young. FMI: (603) 466-2713 (Androscoggin Ranger Station), Free.

10 a.m. and 1 p.m. — At Deertrees Theatre, Harrison: Michael Wingfield, drums and songs of the African New World, a program of the Wednesday Children's shows. Tickets: \$5 for adults, \$4 for children, available at Maine Discoveries, Norway and Box Office (583-6747).

10 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. — Guided Nature Walk at Shaker Village, New Gloucester. Cost: \$5 for adults and \$1 for children. Reservations recommended (926-4597).

10 a.m. to 7 p.m. — At Northern Forest Heritage Park, Main Street, Berlin, N.H.: Fifth annual Festival du Bois. Celebration of forest, wood, paper, visual and traditional arts, music and French culture. Adults: \$12, ages 12 to six \$5, under six free. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

7:30 p.m. — Offshore Aces Cajun Band Concert at Northern Forest Heritage Park Amphitheatre, 961 Main Street, Berlin, N.H. Tickets: adults \$10, ages 6 to 12 \$5, under 6 free. FMI: call (603) 752-7202.

7 p.m. — At Northern Forest Heritage Park, Berlin, N.H.: Festival du Bois Concert. Adults: \$10, ages 12 to six \$5, under six free. FMI: (603) 752-7202.

7:30 p.m. — April and Bruce Hobart will perform upbeat tunes and sweet harmonies on guitar, mandolin, fiddle, harmonic banjo, washboard and more at Commons Music Collective, 447 Main Street, Norway. Tickets: \$8/\$4. FMI: 388-2669 or 935-4505.

7 p.m. — At Deertrees Theatre, Harrison: Bill Bowers' Under A Montana Moon: A Collection of Silent Stories. Tickets: \$16 for adults and \$8 for student, available at Maine Discoveries, Norway and Box Office (583-6747).

7:30 p.m. — Main Street Center for the Arts, Norway, will present "Rick Adam," a contemporary singer-songwriter recognized for his illustrated compositions for voice and guitar. Tickets: \$10, available at Maine Discoveries, Norway and Box Office (583-6747).

7:30 p.m. — First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Fourth Wednesday: Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War, H.F. Richardson Tent #19, East Stoneham, K of P Hall, 7 p.m. For more info, call 928-2611.

Women's Fellowship, West Parish Congregational Church, Garland Chapel, Bethel, 9:30 a.m.

Jefferson Chapter #89, OES, Bryant Pond, 6:30 p.m.; refreshments, 7:30 meeting. (Except July and Aug.)

Last Wednesday of Sept., Nov., Jan., March and May: Crescent Park School PTA, 6:30-8 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Every Wednesday: TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly), 5:45-7 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

The Harmony Singers, a new Bethel community chorus, rehearses from 7:00 to 8:30 p.m. Wednesday evenings at 196 Intervale Road. This group welcomes singers of all ages and abilities. Join us on Wednesday evenings or send inquiries to jlln@ctel.net or call 824-8271.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Bethel Recreation Board meeting, 7 p.m. at Town Office.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at Bethel Alliance Church, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Alliance meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

A book discussion group at Whitman Memorial Library at 10:00am Oxford County Democrats. Contact: Cathy Newell at 875-2116.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m. West Paris Grange #298, 7:30 p.m. Call 674-3962 or 674-3046.

Fourth Thursday: Bethel Area Poets Society Reading, 7 to 9 p.m. Call 824-3427 for more info.

Every Thursday: Andover Water District Board of Directors meets at 7 p.m.

West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town Office, 6:30 p.m. Middle and High School Youth Groups, 6:30 p.m., Bethel Alliance Church.

Weight Watchers meeting: 5:30 at the Learning Center.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Greenstock Snow Sports Snowmobile Club meets at the Greenstock Town Office at 7 p.m.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

State Line Snowmobile Club Monthly meetings held at John Thriflau's house on East B Hill Road, Upton.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Saturday: Western Maine Mountain Jeepers meet at 7 p.m. at Bethel Fire Station.

St. Andrews Society meeting, 10 a.m., Harvest House, Lisbon (business meeting with lunch).

Second Saturday: Woodstock Historical Society meets at 7 p.m. in historical society museum. Open to public.

Last Saturday: Upton Planning Board meets at 9 a.m. at the Town Office.

Seasonal only: Every Saturday: Bethel Farmers' Market, Bethel Area Health Center parking lot, 9 a.m. - 12 noon. Locally grown produce and local goods.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office, mailed

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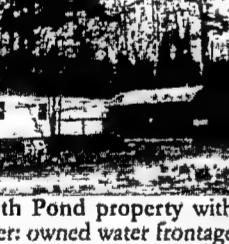
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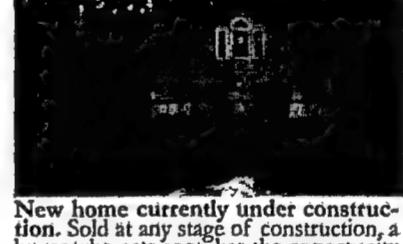
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Obituaries



TERRIE BROOMHALL DAVIS

Terrie Broomhall Davis, 39, died unexpectedly at the Rumford Hospital as a result of an ultralight aircraft accident Thursday, July 10, 2003. A resident of the area for many years, she made her home on Washington Street, Rumford.

She was born in Rumford, on Feb. 19, 1964, a daughter of Robert and Sally (Weston) Broomhall, and had attended schools in Hampton, Va., and Rumford.

She was employed as a waitress at The Madison Inn & Restaurant and at the Ellis River Vineyard.

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Survivors include her husband, Danny Rae Davis of Texas; a son, Deric Davis of Rumford; her mother, Mrs. Sally Daigle and her husband John of Rumford; three sisters, Donna Gilbert and husband Albert of Gorham, N.H., Dee-Dee Touchette and husband Ronald of Rumford, Robin Belanger and husband Glenn of Rumford; four brothers, Larry White and companion, Mary Hagan of Mexico, Scott White and wife Tracey of Rumford, Leonard White of Roxbury, and Keith Broomhall of Rumford; three step-sisters, Doreen Jones of Canton, Darlene Beaudet of Lewiston, and Victoria Broomhall of Newport News, Va.; two step-brothers, Gerald Broomhall and wife Berta of Locke Mills and Dwayne Broomhall of North Carolina.

Funeral services were held Monday, July 14, at the Meader & Son Funeral Home, Rumford, with the Rev. Charles Jeffries officiating.

Interment was at Farrington-Morton Cemetery, Mexico. In lieu of flowers, please contribute to the Deric Davis College Fund, c/o Robin Belanger, 430 Raymond Street, Rumford, ME 04276.

Many of you that read this have gone through similar experiences such as cancer, heart attacks, or some other personal crises. But we must go on.

The book of Hebrews in the New Testament gives a list of great men in the Old Testament: "By faith Abel, by faith Noah, by faith Abraham, by faith Jacob, by faith Moses and the writer of Hebrews goes on in the 12th chapter saying, "Since we are surrounded with such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfector of our faith ...!"

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9am Pony Weigh-In
9am Pony Pulling
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1pm Senior Cribage Tournament
2pm Farm Pull - Steers
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6pm Kiddie Pull! Tractor Event (Pulling Ring)
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7pm Debbie Myers & Her Salute to the
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Saturday, July 26, 2003
Gate Opens at 7am ~ Admission \$4
7am Gate Opens
8:30am Pony Weigh-In
9am Pony Pulling
10am Farmers Work Horse Show
Halter Classes (Pulling Ring)
10am Horse Show Tournaments (Singles)
11am 4-H Sheep Show (Show Ring)
11am Beano Bonanza, Goes till 6pm
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2pm Tractor Pull (Pulling Ring)
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Pie Eating Contest
3pm Apple Pie Contest (Exhibit Hall)
Sign on for Pig Scramble
3:30pm Ed Morris & His Balloon Zoo Show
4pm Pig Scramble (Pulling Ring)
6pm Farmers Draft Horse Pull
7pm Ed Morris & the Hypnosis Show
8pm Dance "Hurricane M" (BYOB Dance Hall)
Sunday, July 27, 2003
Gate Opens at 7am ~ Admission \$4
7am Gate Opens
8:30am Fun & Games Horse Show
9am Steer Show (Pulling Ring)
10am Exhibit Hall Opens
11am Classics & Antique Auto Show
Horse Show Tournament (Doubles)
Registration for Cookie Contest
Chocolate Chip Cookie Contest
Beano Begins
12 noon Registration for "Baby Show"
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Pastor's study*

On Thursday, July 3, we were awakened to find our house on fire. We want to thank the Waterford Fire Department and women's auxiliary for their quick response. Also, the Norway Fire Department sent trucks to their aid as well as the Stoneham Fire Department.

Bradley Grover, fire chief of the Waterford Fire Department, coordinated the firefighting operation. It was unfortunate that the fire had gotten such a start. They were able to maintain the fire and keep it from spreading into the woods, which is all around our former home.

Being in a state of shock and mentally and physically exhausted, a week later, we are coming up from the ashes.

We want to thank the community for their cards and concern for our total loss of 51 years of married life. But, we must go on.

Many of you that read this have gone through similar experiences such as cancer, heart attacks, or some other personal crises. But we must go on.

The book of Hebrews in the New Testament gives a list of great men in the Old Testament: "By faith Abel, by faith Noah, by faith Abraham, by faith Jacob, by faith Moses and the writer of Hebrews goes on in the 12th chapter saying, "Since we are surrounded with such a great cloud of witnesses, let us throw off the sin that so easily entangles, and let us run with perseverance the race marked out for us. Let us fix our eyes on Jesus, the author and perfector of our faith ...!"

You might disagree with me in my faith, but this faith works as we are surrounded by such a cloud of witnesses in the Bible and in our world today.

Excuse me for preaching, but at 73 I can't stop. Attend the church of your choice and find this power of faith in your life. It is like a charge in the battery and sends us forward in our journey of faith.

Rev. Earl H. Bell

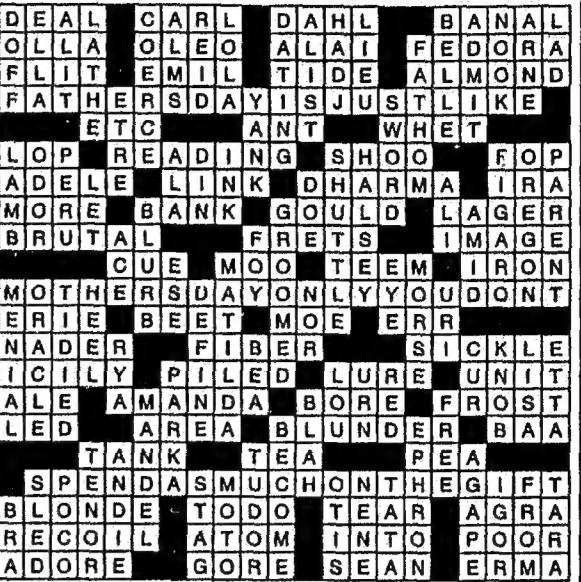
Pastor, West Bethel Union Church and Sweden Community Church

Births

Joel and Linda Putnam of Washington Court House, Ohio, announce the birth of their daughter, Julia Rose, born on June 17, 2003, weighing 8 pounds, 1 ounce. Grandparents are Paula and Bill

Smith of Andover and Mary and Phil Learned of Andover and Dixville Notch, N.H.

Julia joins siblings Jessica, Joel Ryan, Jeremy, Jennalee, Joseph, Jodi and Jacob.

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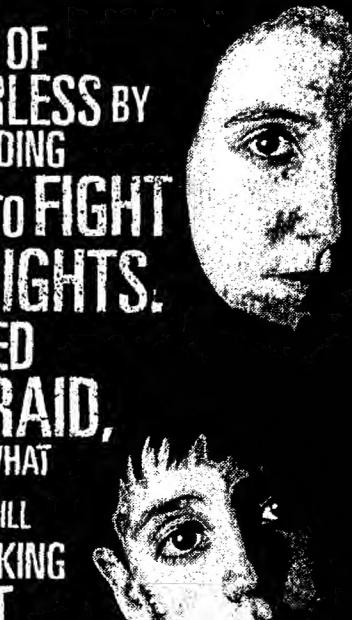
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